IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF OREGON

HLHZ INVESTMENTS, LLC, a California limited liability company,))
Plaintiff,) Civil Case No. 06-797-KI
VS.)) ORDER
PLAID PANTRIES, INC., an Oregon corporation; PLAID HOLDING))
COMPANY, LLC, an Oregon limited)
liability company, and WILLIAM C. GIRARD, JR.,)
Defendants.)))
WILLIAM C. GIRARD, JR.,)
Third-Party Plaintiff,))
VS.)
HOULIHAN LOKEY HOWARD & ZUKIN, INC., a California corporation,)))
Third-Party Defendant.)))

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KING, Judge:

Third-Party Plaintiff Girard's Motion for Voluntary Dismissal Without Prejudice of Third-Party Defendant Houlihan Lokey Howard & Zukin, Inc. (#63) is granted. The claims are dismissed without prejudice and without costs or attorney fees awarded to any party.

Plaintiff HLHZ Investments, LLC and Third-Party Defendant Houlihan Lokey Howard and Zukin, Inc.'s Motion to Dismiss Third-Party Complaint (#45) is denied as moot.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this <u>15th</u> day of February, 2007.

/s/ Garr M. King
Garr M. King
United States District Judge